FORM PTO-1390 (REV 07-2005) ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER 4439-4045 TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) **CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371** EARLIEST PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE PCT/JP2004/019340 24 December 2004 26 December 2003 TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD OF MULTIPLEX MICROORGANISM DETECTION APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US HORIKOSHI, Naoko; KAWASAKI, Susumu; OKADA, Yukio; TAKESHITA, Kazuko; SAMESHIMA, Takashi; KAWAMOTO, Shinichi; and ISSHIKI, Kenji Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. 1. 2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and 3 (21) indicated below. \boxtimes The US has been elected. (Article 31). A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) 冈 5. a.

is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. A has been communicated by the International Bureau. c. \square is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). An English language translation of the International application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). a. 🛛 is attached hereto (Specification: 40 pgs., Claims: 4 pgs.; Abstract: 1 pg.; and 1 Sheet of Formal Drawings (Figs. 1-3)). b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). have been communicated by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. have not been made and will not be made. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 8. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). An English translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). 10. Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included: An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, Forms PTO-1449A and PTO-1449B, with copies of 13 cited references. \square An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included 12 П 13. A preliminary amendment. An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. 14. 15. A substitute specification. 16. П A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825 with the paper copy M 17 of the sequence listings: 8 pgs. and Sequence Listing Statement. A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 18. A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 19. 20. Other items or Information: Copies of: PCT Request document; Forms: PCT/ISA/202; PCT/ISA/210; PCT/ISA/220; PCT/ISA/237; PCT/IB/301; PCT/IB/304, PCT/IB/308 (First Notice), PCT/IB/308 (Second and Supplementary Notice), PCT/IB311 and PCT/IB/345 published PCT application Publication -Number WO 2005/064016 A1, published on 14 July 2005.

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